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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**GROUP**:

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**SERIAL NO:** 

09/464,997

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TC THUS WALL BOY

FILED:

12/16/1999

FOR:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR APPLYING SYNTACTIC FOAM

THERMAL INSULATION TO A LENGTH OF PIPE

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), a petition is made for a three (3) month extension of time extending the response period to August 5, 2002.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any further extension and/or fee that is required to Deposit Order Account 19-0079.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below in an Express Mail Envelope No. EV013985445US addressed to Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231

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